

What is claimed is:

1. A method of processing mail pieces on one or more inserter systems comprising the steps of
generating a printstream in a computer remote from the one or more inserter systems;
transmitting the printstream to a printer for producing printed documents;
delivering the printed documents to the one or more inserter systems;
transmitting the printstream to a workstation computer coupled to the one or more inserter systems;
interpolating the printstream in the workstation computer to generate a reprint database containing electronic files corresponding to each of the printed documents produced by the printer;
interpolating the printstream in the workstation computer to generate a job tracking database containing job level data for the mail pieces that are to be assembled in the one or more inserter systems;
processing the printed documents in the one or more inserter systems for generating the mail pieces; and
associating data from the job tracking database with the generated mail pieces to monitor the performance of the one or more inserter systems.

2. A method of processing mail pieces on one or more inserter systems further including the steps of:
interpolating the printstream in the work station computer to generate a Mail Run Data File (MRDF) containing piece level data for the mail pieces that are to be assembled in the one or more inserter systems; and
providing the Mail Run Data File to each one of the one or more data systems operable to interpolate the Mail Run Data File so as to enable enhanced operation of each inserter system interpolating the Mail Run Data File.

3. A method of processing mail pieces on one or more inserter systems further including the step of:

providing the Mail Run Data File to an electronic document processing and presentment system to enable electronic generation and delivery for at least some of the mail pieces contained in the printstream.

4. A method of processing mail pieces on one or more inserter systems further including the steps of:

providing a local printer coupled to the work station computer; and

generating documents on the local printer from data received from the reprint database.

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